Abstract of Meteorological Registers received from Head-Quarters of Districts for the fortnight ending 15th September 1887.

HEAD-QUARTERS.	Thermometer. Averages for the half month. 9-30 A. M. Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Difference.	3-30 P. M. Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Difference.	Thermometer. Maximum.	Minimum.	Rain. Inches.	Cents.	Wind.
Kolar ...	78	...	...	79	...	...	...	...	4	25	N. E.
Hassan ...	62	61	1	64	62	2	79	60	...	92	W. & S. W.
Shimoga ...	73	...	...	74	...	...	...	...	1	64	S. W.
Kadur ...	72	67	5	70	67	3	78	67	1	3	...
Chitaldroog ...	74	...	...	75	...	...	...	...	1	86	S. W.
Mysore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tumkur* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

*Information not received.

Visitors to the Mysore Government Museum, Bangalore, during the month of September 1887, were 22,465 in number, averaging, exclusive of Sundays 864 daily.

SIGNATURES MADE IN— English. Europeans.	Natives.	Tamil.	Telugu.	Canarese.	Hindustani.	Mahratta.	Guzarati.	Maravadi.	Malayalam.	Nagari.	Total of Signatures. Males.	Females.	Unable to sign but tally kept.	Total of Visitors.	Unable to sign No. of— Men and Boys.	Women and Girls.	Total of Visitors.
347	738	594	257	1698	278	40	10	4	..	..	3,754	212	18,499	22,465	9,682	8,817	22,465

J. CAMERON,
Superintendent.

POSTAL NOTICE.

The 7th October 1887.

Tenders are invited for the conveyance under contract by a horse dâk of the Letter and Parcel Mails between Mysore and Mercara, *viâ* Siddapur, a distance of about 75 miles.

2. It will be optional with the contractor to carry the Letter and Parcel Mails separately, the same rate of speed not being expected for both.

3. Parties desirous of undertaking the contract are requested to communicate with the undersigned who will be prepared to afford any information as regards the rate of speed expected, the weight of the Mails and other particulars.

J. HONNER,
Superintendent of Post Offices,
Bangalore Division.